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## The First Selectman

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### FIRST SELECTMAN

Before another grey town meeting  
He squats there, perched on his cold stone bench  
Impeccably hunched like a pinstriped bullfrog  
Coated with ageclouded slime.  
Bug-eyed, his spit crusted tongue can  
But slide by with every orange-backed lady  
Bug. Starved,  
His administrative bowels growl.

*Carl Tillmanns '74*